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Actions Taken Under Cable Landing License Act

Section 1.767(a) Cable Landing Licenses, Modifications, and Assignments or Transfers of Control of Interests in Cable Landing Licenses (47 C.F.R. § 1.767(a))

By the Chief, Telecommunications and Analysis Division, International Bureau:

Pursuant to An Act Relating to the Landing and Operation of Submarine Cables in the United States, 47 U.S.C. §§ 34-39 (Cable Landing License Act), Executive Order No. 10530, Exec. Ord. No. 10530 reprinted as amended in 3 U.S.C. § 301, and section 1.767 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.767, the following applications ARE GRANTED. These grants of authority are taken under section 0.261 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 0.261. Petitions for reconsideration under section 1.106 or applications for review under section 1.115 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. §§ 1.106, 1.115, may be filed within 30 days of the date of this public notice.

These applications have been coordinated with the Department of State and other Executive Branch agencies pursuant to section 1.767(b) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. §1.767(b), and consistent with procedures established with the Department of State. See Review of Commission Consideration of Applications under the Cable Landing License Act, IB Docket No. 00-106, Report and Order, 16 FCC Rcd 22167, 22192-93, paras. 51-52 (2001) (Submarine Cable Landing License Report and Order); Streamlined Procedures for Executive Branch Review of Submarine Cable Landing License Requests, State Department Media Note (Revised) (rel. Dec. 20, 2001) available at http://2001-2009.state.gov/r/pa/prs/ps/2001/6951.htm.

This public notice serves as each cable landing licensee's Cable Landing License, or modification thereto, pursuant to the Cable Landing License Act and sections 1.767 and 1.768 of the Commission's rules. Cable landing licensees should review carefully the terms and conditions of their licenses. Failure to comply with these terms and conditions or relevant Commission rules and policies could result in fines or forfeitures.

SCL-T/C-20210209-00011 E Sprint Communications Company, L.P.

Transfer of Control

Grant of Authority Date of Action: 07/30/2021

Current Licensee: Sprint Communications Company, L.P.

FROM: US Telecom, Inc.

TO: Sprint Communications, Inc.

Notification filed February 9, 2021, of the pro forma transfer of control of Sprint Communications Company L.P. (SCCLP), from US Telecom, Inc. (US Telecom) to Sprint Communications, Inc. (SCI), effective December 31, 2020. Applicants filed a supplement on June 29, 2021.

SCCLP is a licensee on the following cable systems: (1) Americas-II, SCL-LIC-19980429-00019, SCL-MOD-20191202-00038, which connects Florida, Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands, Martinique, Curacao, Trinidad, Venezuela, French Guiana, and Brazil; (2) Antillas-I, SCL-LIC-19951013-00002 (Old File No. SCL-95-012), which connects Puerto Rico and the Dominican Republic; (3) Japan-US, SCL-LIC-19981117-00025, SCL-MOD-20130227-00002, which connects the United States and Japan; (4) Maya-1, SCL-LIC-19990325-00006, SCL-MOD-20110928-00028, which connects the United States, the Cayman Islands, Colombia, Costa Rica, Honduras, Mexico and Panama; (5) Pan American, SCL-LIC-19970421-00002 (Old File No. SCL-97-001), SCL-MOD-20040521-00016, which connects the U.S. Virgin Islands, Chile, Peru, Ecuador, Panama, Colombia, Venezuela, and Aruba; and (6) Taino-Carib, SCL-LIC-20180702-00019, which connects Puerto Rico with the U.S. Virgin Islands and the British Virgin Islands.

Prior to the transaction SCCLP was a wholly owned subsidiary of US Telecom (95.06% direct ownership and 4.94% indirect ownership through US Telecom LLC, a wholly owned subsidiary of US Telecom) and US Telecom was a wholly owned direct subsidiary of SCI. In a corporate reorganization US Telecom was merged into SCI, with SCI being the surviving entity. As a result, SCCLP is now a wholly owned subsidiary of SCI (95.06% direct ownership and 4.94% indirect ownership through Utelcom LLC, now a wholly owned subsidiary of SCI). All of the entities are wholly owned by Sprint Communications, which is a wholly owned subsidiary of T-Mobile US, Inc.

The Americas-II, Antillas-I, Maya-1 and Pan American cables were licensed prior to March 15, 2002 and are not eligible for the post-closing notification procedures under section 1.767(g)(7) of the Commission's rules, 47 CFR § 1.767(g)(7).

Grant of this application is without prejudice to any enforcement action by the Commission for non-compliance with the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, or the Commission's rules.